## **UTA Board of Trustees Meeting**

May 12, 2021



## **Call to Order and Opening Remarks**

**Electronic Meeting Determination Statement** 



## **Safety First Minute**



### **Public Comment**

Live comments are limited to 3 minutes per commenter

Public comment was solicited prior to the meeting through alternate means, including email, telephone, and the UTA website

Any comments received through alternate means were distributed to the board for review in advance of the meeting



## **Consent Agenda**

a. Approval of April 28, 2021 Board Meeting Minutes



# Recommended Action (by acclamation)

Motion to approve consent agenda



# **Reports**



### **Agency Report**



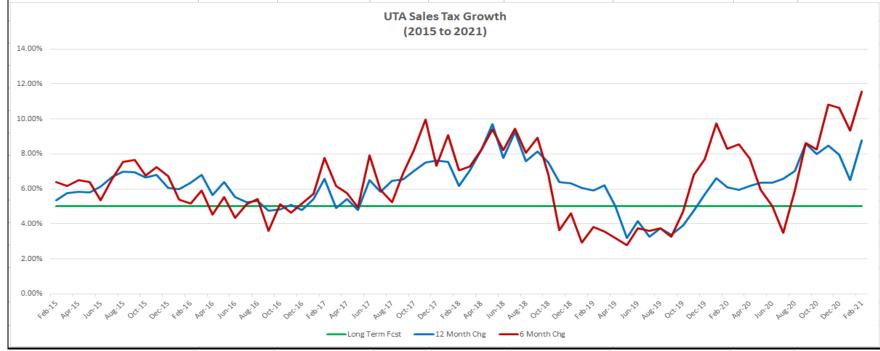
### **Financial Report - March 2021**



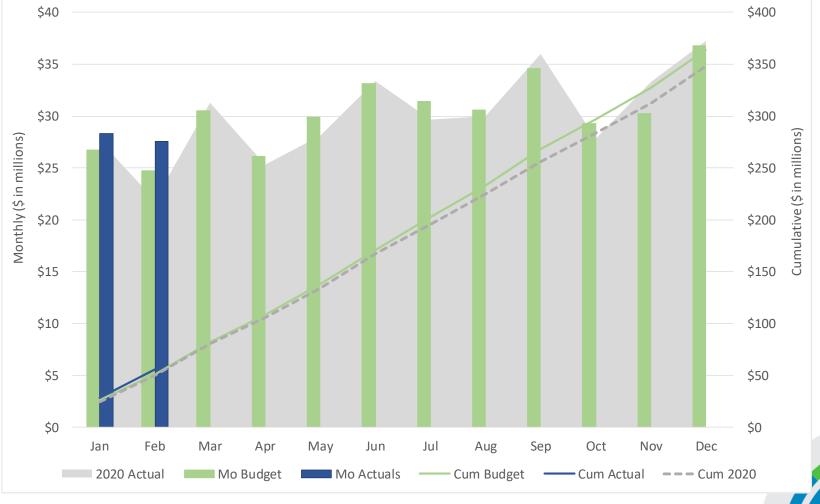
#### **UTA Board Dashboard**

March 2021

		Fav/					Fav/								
Financial Metrics		ar Actual	N	/lar Budget	(L	Infav)	%		YTD Actual		YTD Budget	(Unfav)			%
Sales Tax (Feb '21 mm \$)	\$	27.6	\$	24.7	\$	2.85	11.5%	\$	55.9	\$	51.4	\$	4.46		8.7%
Fare Revenue (mm)	\$	2.5	\$	2.6	\$	(0.13) 🧶	-4.8%	\$	7.6	\$	7.9	\$	(0.32)	•	-4.1%
Operating Exp (mm)	\$	33.1	\$	27.0		(6.09) 🛑	-22.6%	\$	75.3	\$	80.6	\$	5.27		6.5%
Subsidy Per Rider (SPR)	\$	16.18	\$	15.06	\$	(1.12) 🔴	-7.4%	\$	13.29	\$	15.06	\$	1.77	•	11.8%
UTA Diesel Price (\$/gal)	\$	2.57	\$	2.25	\$	(0.32)	-14.2%	\$	2.10	\$	2.25	\$	0.15	•	6.7%
Operating Metrics	M	ar Actual		Mar-20	F,	/ (UF)	%		YTD Actual		YTD 2020	F,	/ (UF)		%
Ridership (mm)		1.89		2.62		(0.7) 🧶	-27.9%		5.10		10.19		(5.1)	•	-50.0%
Alternative Fuels	CNC	G Price (Die	esel G	Gal Equiv)	\$	1.99									
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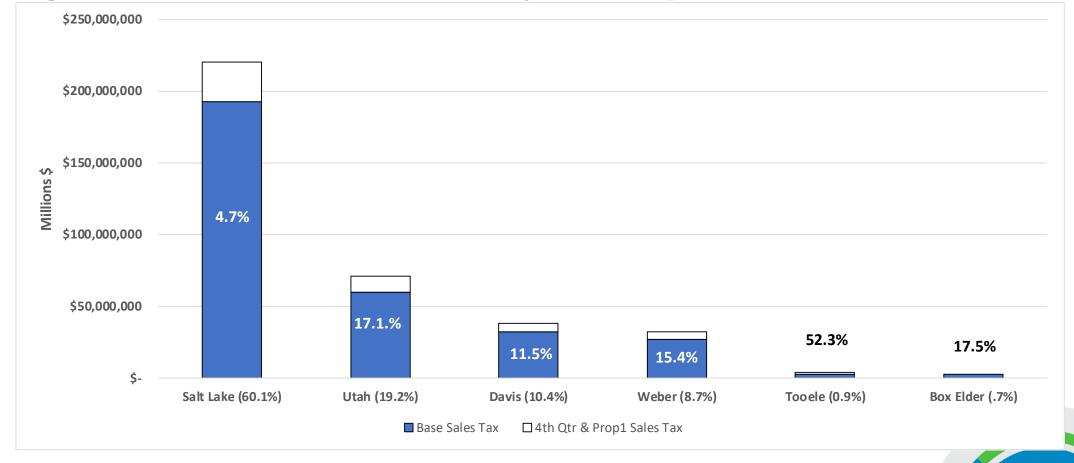
# 2021 Sales Tax February (YTD Variance +\$4.5 million)





#### **Sales Tax Collections**

(Percentage Growth for 12 months ended February 28, 2021\*)

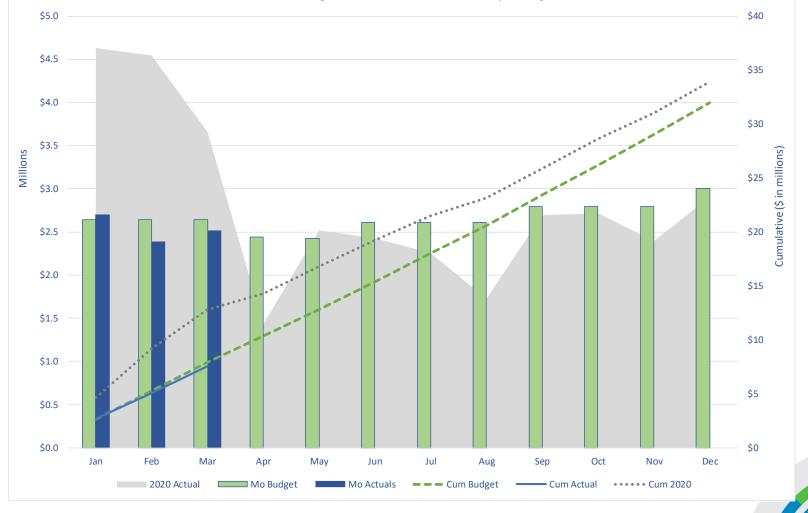


<sup>\*</sup> Percentage growth in base sales tax revenues over prior year (excludes impact of Proposition 1 and  $4^{th}$  quarter rate changes in 2019).



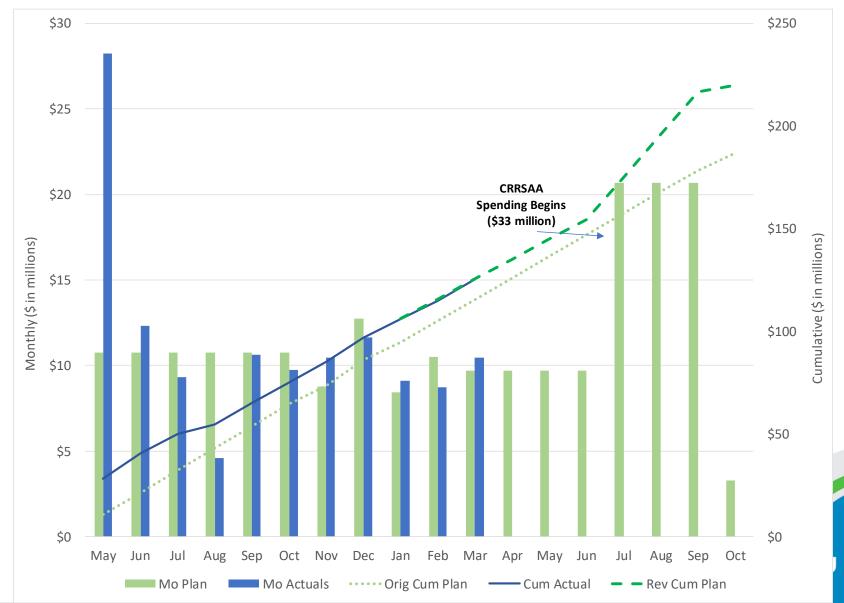
### **2021 Passenger Revenues**

March (YTD Variance -\$320,000)





### **2020 - 2021 Stimulus Funds**





### **Operating Financial Results**

#### **March 2021**

		MONTHLY RESULTS						FISCAL YEAR 2021	YEAR-TO-DATE RESULTS									
Prior Year Current Year						Dollars in Millions	Prior Year Current Year											
Ac	ctual	A	ctual	Вι	ıdget		Variar	ice		A	ctual	A	ctual	Bu	udget		Varian	ce
									Revenue									
\$	37.4	\$	32.1	\$	30.5	\$	1.6	5.3%	Sales Tax (Mar accrual)	\$	83.5	\$	88.0	\$	82.0	\$	6.1	7.4%
	3.7		2.5		2.6		(0.1)	-4.8%	Fares		12.8		7.6		7.9		(0.3)	-4.1%
	5.2		10.2		14.3		(4.1)	-28.9%	Federal		15.0		38.4		42.9		(4.5)	-10.5%
	1.6		0.9		1.4		(0.5)	-35.5%	Other		3.9		2.4		3.5		(1.1)	-32.3%
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\$	47.9	\$	45.7	\$	48.8	\$	(3.1)	-6.4%	TOTAL REVENUE	\$	115.3	\$	136.4	\$	136.2	\$	0.1	0.1%
									Expense									
\$	13.0	\$	17.0	\$	13.5	\$	(3.5)		Salary/Wages	\$	38.8	\$	38.8	\$	39.8	\$	1.0	2.6%
	6.2		8.9		6.2		(2.7)	-43.2%	Fringe Benefits		18.0		19.8		18.7		(1.1)	-5.8%
	1.6		2.3		2.5		0.2	9.7%	Services		4.8		5.2		7.5		2.3	31.1%
	1.1		1.8		1.9		0.1	4.9%	Parts		5.0		4.2		5.7		1.6	27.2%
	1.7		2.3		1.9		(0.4)	-18.8%	Fuel		5.4		5.2		5.6		0.3	6.1%
	0.5		0.7		0.5		(0.2)	-42.4%	Utilities		1.5		2.0		1.5		(0.5)	-36.5%
	1.2		1.0		1.1		0.1	6.1%	Other		2.5		2.4		4.1		1.7	42.3%
	(0.8)		(1.0)		(0.8)		(0.3)	33.5%	Capitalized Cost		(2.4)		(2.2)		(2.3)		0.1	-4.2%
\$	24.4	\$	33.1	\$	27.0	\$	(6.1)	-22.6%	TOTAL EXPENSE	\$	73.5	\$	75.3	\$	80.6	\$	5.3	6.5%
\$	9.0	\$	7.6	\$	7.5	\$	(0.1)	-1.4%	Debt Service	\$	26.3	\$	22.9	\$	22.6	\$	(0.3)	-1.4%
\$	1.0	\$	5.0	\$	14.3	\$	(9.3)	-65.2%	Contrib. Capital/Reserves	\$	<b>15.6</b>	\$	38.1	\$	33.0	\$	5.1	<b>15.3%</b>

Favorable/(Unfavorable) Favorable/(Unfavorable)



### **2021 Operating Expense by Mode YTD**

#### **Operating Expense By Mode** (\$ in Millions)

MTD	Mar 2020	Marcl	h 2021	Variance '21			
	Actual	Actual	Budget	\$	Percent		
Administrative	\$ 2.7	\$ 3.8	\$ 3.8	\$ (0.1)	-2.1%		
<b>Operating Support</b>	4.1	5.7	4.4	(1.3)	-28.6%		
Bus	9.1	12.5	9.4	(3.1)	-32.7%		
Light Rail	2.9	4.0	3.4	(0.6)	-17.6%		
Commuter Rail	1.9	2.4	2.0	(0.4)	-18.1%		
Maintenance of Way	1.6	1.8	1.6	(0.2)	-10.0%		
Paratransit	2.0	2.5	2.0	(0.5)	-27.1%		
Special Services	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.0	2.5%		
Total Operating Expense	\$ 24.4	\$ 33.1	\$ 27.0	\$ (6.1)	-22.6%		

YTD	Mar 2020		March 2021				Variance '21			
	Actual	_	Actual		Budget		\$	Percent		
Administrative	\$ 8.6	\$	8.7	\$	11.8	\$	3.1	26.3%		
Operating Support	11.9		12.7		13.4		0.7	5.1%		
Bus	27.0		27.4		27.5		0.1	0.4%		
Light Rail	9.0		9.3		10.2		0.9	8.4%		
Commuter Rail	5.8		5.5		5.9		0.5	7.6%		
Maintenance of Way	4.7		5.1		4.8		(0.3)	-6.5%		
Paratransit	5.7		5.8		6.0		0.2	3.6%		
Special Services	0.8		0.8		0.9		0.2	17.1%		
Total Operating Expense	\$ 73.5	\$	75.3	\$	80.6	\$	5.3	6.5%		



### **Questions?**



### **Contracts, Disbursement, and Grants**



# Contract: Purchasing Card Management Services (U.S. Bank)

# Recommended Actions (by acclamation)

Motion to approve contract as presented



# Change Order: FrontRunner Forward On Call Operations Planning and Simulation Assistance Task Order 2 (DB Engineering and Consulting, USA)

# Recommended Action (by acclamation)

Motion to approve change order as presented



# Change Order: Depot District Final Design (Stantec Architecture Inc.)

# Recommended Action (by acclamation)

Motion to approve change order as presented



# Change Order: On-Call Infrastructure Maintenance Task Order #18 – 4800 West Mid-Jordan TRAX Line Embedded Grade Crossing (Stacy and Witbeck Inc.)

# Recommended Action (by acclamation)

Motion to approve change order as presented



## **Service and Fare Approvals**



# Fare Agreement: Pass Purchase and Administration Agreement Amendment 2 (Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints)

# Recommended Action (by acclamation)

Motion to approve fare agreement as presented



### **Promotional Fare Request: Youth Rider's License**

# Recommended Action (by acclamation)

Motion to approve promotional fare as presented



### **Discussion Items**



### **Amendment 1 to the Authority's 2021 Budget**



### PROPOSED 2021 CAPITAL BUDGET AMENDMENT

Project	Current budget	Additional Request	Amended Budget	Source of Funds		
FrontRunner Forward	\$2,500,000	\$2,500,000	\$5,000,000	State appropriation		
Building Remodel /Reconfig	\$100,000	\$365,000	\$465,000	Carryover/Fund Balance		
Safety General Projects	\$100,000	\$77,000	\$177,000	Fund Balance		
Corridor Fencing	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$100,000	Fund Balance		
Non-Rev Service Vehicles	\$1,500,000	\$480,000	\$1,980,000	Fund Balance		
Capital Contingency	\$1,570,500	\$429,500	\$2,000,000	Fund Balance		
Box Elder ROW Preservation	\$1,000,000	\$2,700,000	\$3,700,000	Box Elder 2 <sup>nd</sup> quarter sales tax		
S-Line Extension	\$0	\$600,000	\$600,000	State appropriation		
5600 West	\$0	\$150,000	\$150,000	TTIF/Fed Grant		
Total	\$6,820,500	\$7,351,500	\$14,172,000			



# UTA on Demand Microtransit Late Night Summer Service Pilot



#### **Purpose**

- Attract and build new ridership
- Help UTA and SLC prepare for the Rose Park and Glendale microtransit pilot
- Provide new mobility options for the community
- Provide UTA support for stimulating the economy, local business, and reenergizing the Salt Lake City region
- Provide transit service for late night and shift workers
- Evaluate the pilot for future late night service opportunities and return on investment
- Build brand recognition and awareness for UTA on Demand by Via

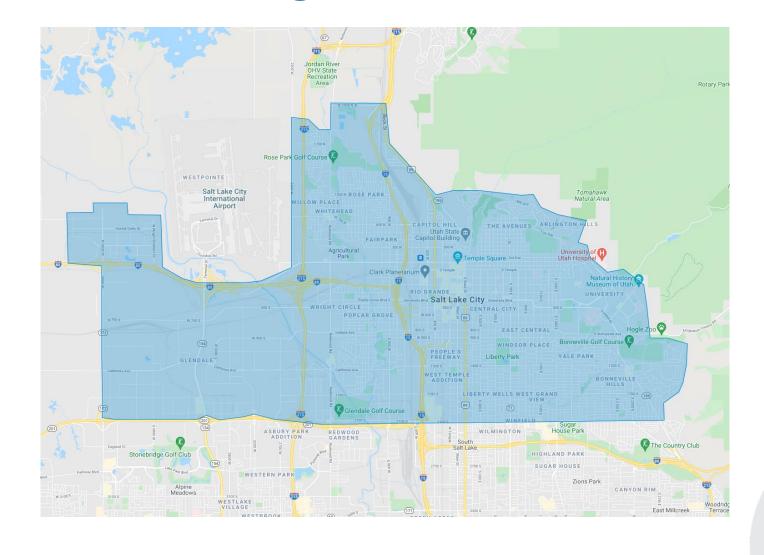


#### **Service**

- UTA on Demand by Via
- Utilize existing vehicles and resources from the South Salt Lake County microtransit pilot
- Salt Lake City Service Area (excludes airport)
- Memorial Day 2021 though Labor Day 2021
- Operate Thursday, Friday, and Saturday nights from 10:00 pm – 4:00 am
- Provide intrazonal transit services and First/Last Mile Connections to fixed route services during operating hours









#### **Project Partners and Communications**

- Downtown Alliance
- Salt Lake City
- Via

#### **Estimated Expenses**

- Operations: \$120,000
  - Project Contingency: \$50,000
  - Funding Source: 2021 IMS Budget
- Marketing and Communications: \$25,000 \$50,000
  - Funding Source: 2021 Marketing Budget and Partner Contributions



### **Salt Lake Central - Station Area Plan Addendum**



### **Background**

#### **Original Plan**

- Initiated in 2018, (UDA) Urban Design Associates
- Collaboration between UTA & Salt Lake City RDA
- Involved extensive community engagement
- Provided a cohesive vision for the plan area





### **Purpose of the Addendum**



#### **Premises**

- Understand development potential of properties west of Salt Lake Central Station
- Identify properties necessary to expand bus storage at the Depot District Clean Fuels Center
- Reconfigure transit-critical infrastructure, to be compatible with Station Center Redevelopment
- Render UTA's expectations within a future Salt Lake Central Redevelopment RFP



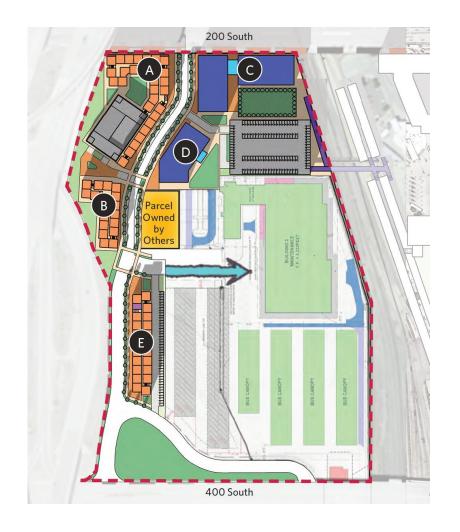
### **Land Use Concept 1**

#### **Premises**

- Possible within existing parcel configuration
- Office emphasis
- Clear separation of UTA & private development

### **Program**

- Office: 400,000 Sqft
- Residential: 400 Units
- Retail: 6,600 Sqft
- Amenity Space: 6,000 Sqft
- Parking: 1,540 (350 park & ride stalls)





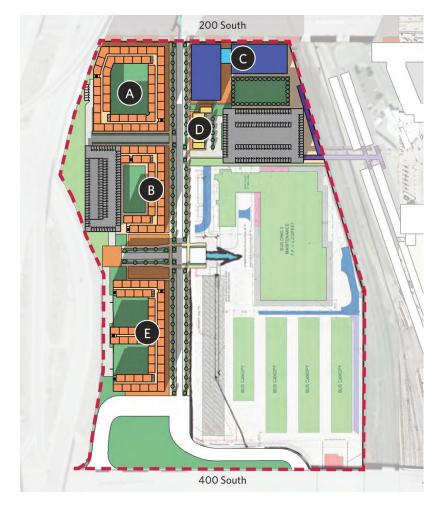
### **Land Use Concept 2**

#### **Premises**

- Requires reconfiguration of parcels
- Residential emphasis
- Blending of UTA and private development

### **Program**

- Office: 275,000 Sqft
- Residential: 770 Units
- Retail: 5,500 Sqft
- Amenity Space: 20,000
   Sqft
- Parking: 1,820 (350 park & ride stalls)

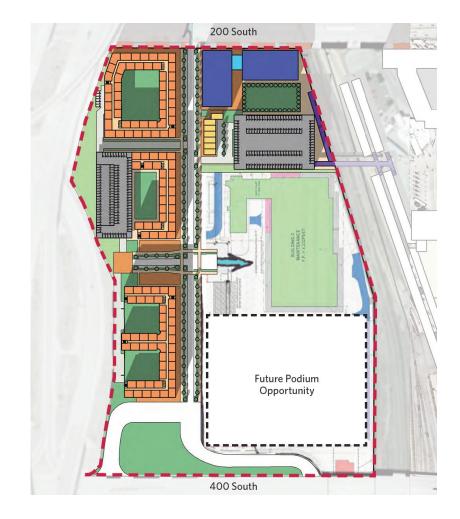




### **Land Use Concept 2 – Future Podium Opportunity**

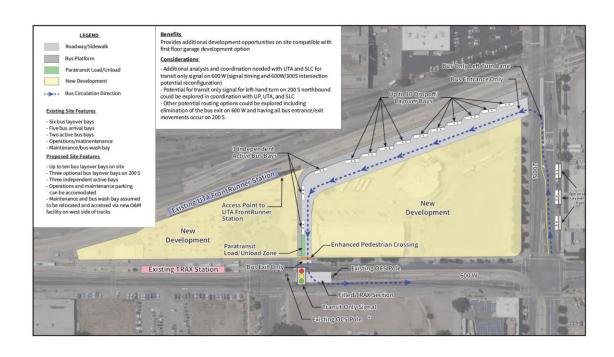
#### **Premises**

- Distant opportunity (approx. 10-15 years), when the real estate market makes viable
- Construct podium over UTA bus parking facilities, allowing further mixed-use development on top





### **Bus Loop Reconfiguration – Preferred Concept**



#### **Premises**

- Entrance into loop from 200
   South
- Exit from loop at 600 West, using transit-prioritized signal
- 10 staging areas, 3 layover areas
- Common boarding/alighting area
- Improves efficiency of bus routes
- Opens approx. 1.9 acres for productive land uses



### **Ogden Onboard - Station Area Plan Amendment**



### **Background**

### **Ogden Onboard**

- Initiated in 2018, MIG
- Part of the Ogden BRT Corridor Analysis
- Ogden Station included in corridor analysis as one of four development nodes

### **Make Ogden**

- Initiated in 2019, Design Workshop
- Establishes a comprehensive vision for Downtown Ogden





### **Purpose of the Amendment**



#### **Premises**

- Reconciles recommendations made in Ogden Onboard and Make Ogden
- Identifies major infrastructural improvements
- Provides more detailed vision for the FrontRunner station
- Provides implementation plan, including phasing schedule, stakeholder responsibilities, funding sources, etc



### **Overall Vision**

### **Union Station Campus**

- Preserved / renovated Union Station building
- Gateway to 25<sup>th</sup> Street

### **Transit** Plaza

- Reconfigured bus loop / BRT platform
- High-intensity land uses

#### **Innovation District**

 Dense mixture of residential, office, and maker space

#### Residential

 Residential to support neighborhood activity





### **Circulation Plan**

#### **Street Connections**

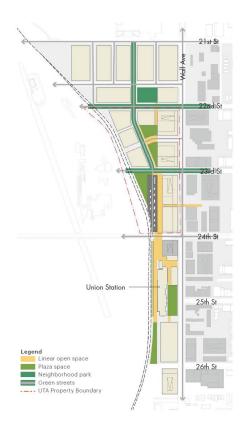
- Traffic calming along Wall Street
- Framing of smaller, walkable blocks within development
- Additional west-bound connections

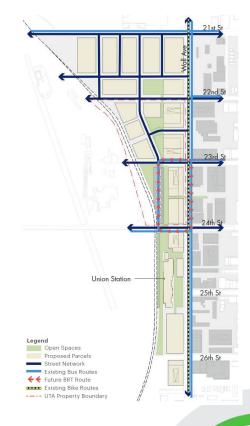
### **Active Transportation**

- Strong pedestrian crossings along Wall St.
- Pedestrian connections within overall neighborhood & individual blocks

### **Public Transportation**

 Preserves and expands options for existing and future bus routes







### **Parking & Transit Plan**

#### **Park & Ride Facilities**

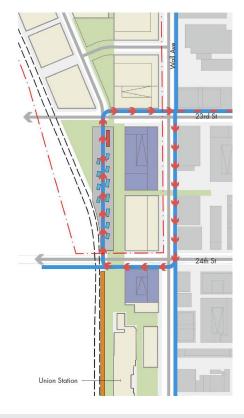
- 400 dedicated transit stalls in southern parking structure with expansion option
- Parking overseen by Ogden City

### **Bus Loop Reconfiguration**

- Squaring and consolidation of bus staging areas
- Incorporation of BRT platform and other related infrastructure, as approved by FTA

#### **Frontrunner Platform**

 Potential relocation of FrontRunner platform adjacent to Union Station





### **Implementation Plan**

#### Phase I

 Shared (southern) parking structure, containing primary park & ride facilities

#### **Phase II**

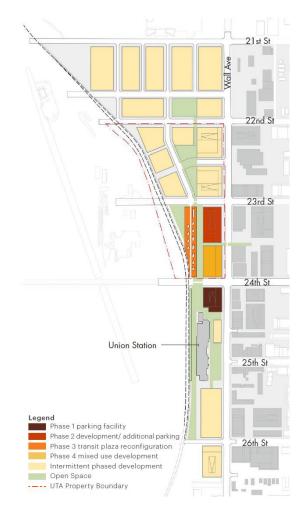
 Shared (northern) parking facility, containing overflow park & ride facilities

#### **Phase III**

- Bus loop reconfiguration
- Transit plaza and intermodal connections

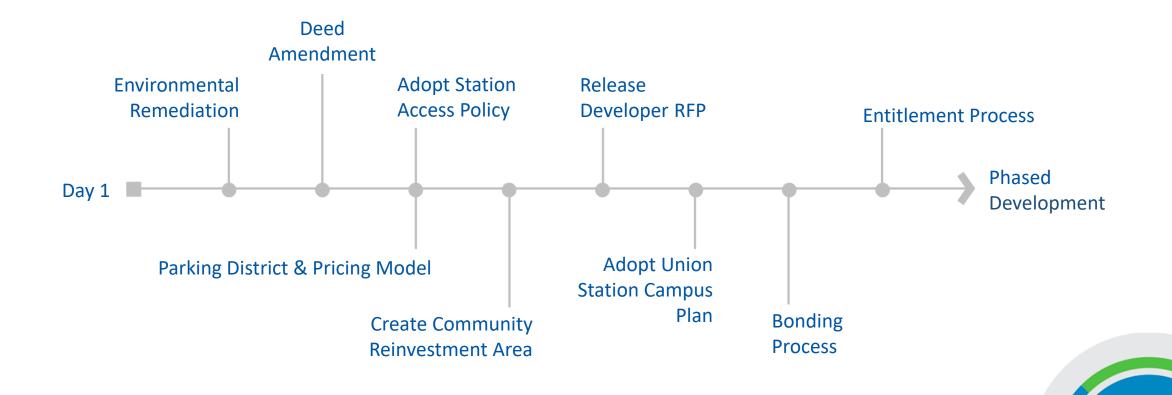
#### **Phase IV**

 Mixed-use commercial / residential development





### **Critical Path**



# Questions



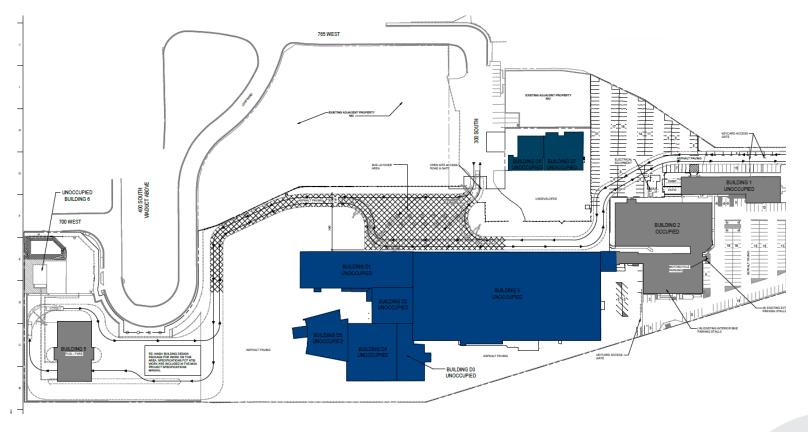
# Depot District Clean Fuels Technology Center Project Update





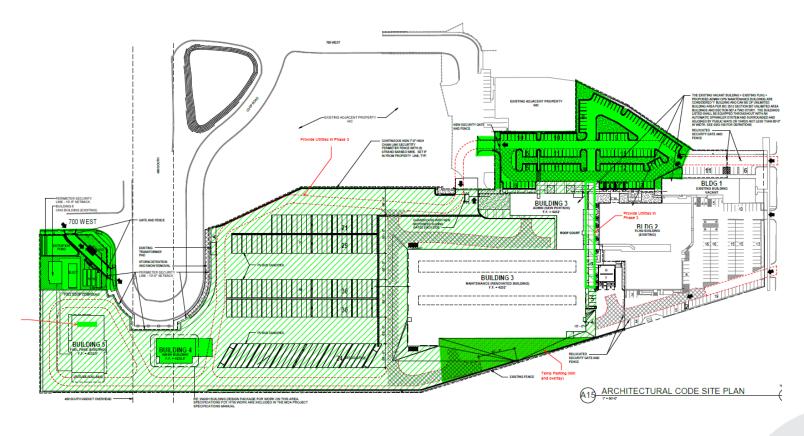


### • Phase 1: Demolition & Abatement (Completed)





- Phase 2: Wash Bldg / Fueling Island / West Parking Lot
  - Anticipated Construction: Today-June 2021









Fueling Island

Scheduled for completion June/July 2021







West Parking Lot



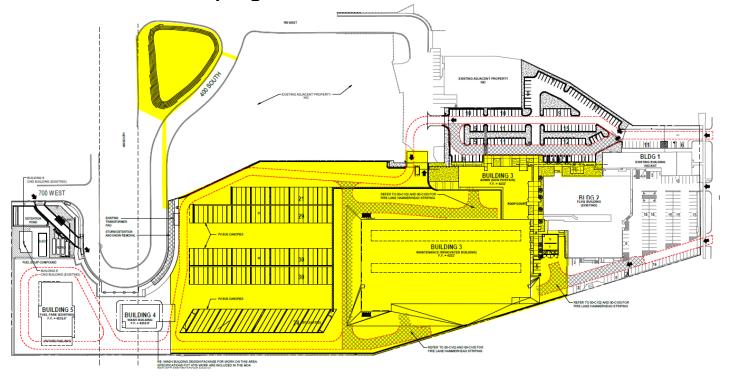




**Bus Wash** 

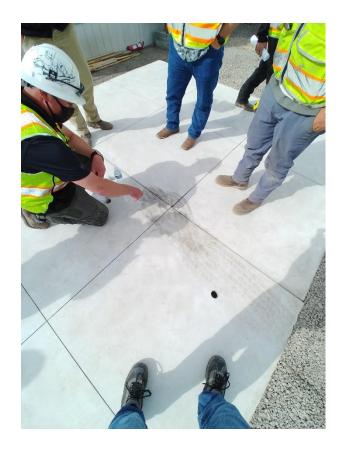


- Phase 3: Maintenance Bldg/Admin-Ops Building/Site Work
- Anticipated Construction: November 2020-Spring 2023









Maintenance Building







Tilt Up Panels







Tilt Up Panels

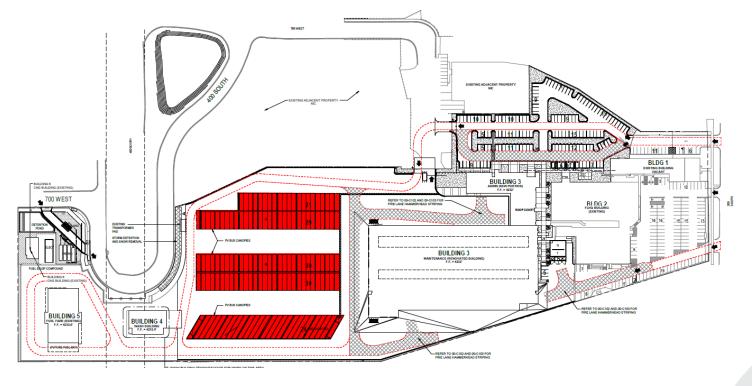


### Maintenance Building

- Concrete
  - Ongoing foundation and tilt panel work
- Tilt panels
  - Scheduled to stand and position starting mid May
- Challenges
  - Concrete availability
  - Steel lead time increase to 8 months



- Phase 4/5/6: Bus Canopies/Electric Bus Charging/Possible Solar
  - Anticipated Construction: 2022





### **Bus Charging and Canopies**

- Contractor pricing this summer
- Initial charging for 30 buses
- Expandable up to 78 buses
- Construction beginning in 2022

### Power needs

- Rocky Mountain Study
- Bus charging Significant power requirement



### **Status of Current Phases**

### Phase 1 - Completed

- Building Demolition and Abatement
- \$2,500,000 Construction Cost

### Phase 2 – Under Construction

- West Parking Lot, Fueling Island, Bus Wash Building
- \$9,100,000 Construction Cost

### Phase 3 – Construction Underway

- Maintenance and Administration Building
- Bus Parking
- \$51,360,000 Construction Cost

### Change orders

Currently within contingency



### Other Activities

- Future Phases 4,5,6 To be completed by Spring 2023
  - Canopies
    - Estimated Cost \$7,500,000
  - Electric Bus Charging
    - Estimated Cost \$3,700,000
  - Possible Solar
    - Estimated Cost \$4,000,000
- Other Costs
  - \$16,840,000
  - Design, Testing, Construction Observation, 3rd Party Utility Relocations, Project Management, Contingency, Furniture, Property
- Total Project
  - \$95,000,000

# Roadway Worker Protection (RWP) Program Manager and Technical Budget Adjustment

# Recommended Action (by acclamation)

Motion to approve additional FTE and authorize technical budget adjustment as presented



## **Other Business**

a. Next meeting: Wednesday, May 26, 2021 at 9:00 a.m.



## **Closed Session**

- a. Strategy session to discuss pending or reasonably imminent litigation
- b. Discussion of the character, professional competence, or physical or mental health of an individual



## **Closed Session**



# **Open Session**



# **Adjourn**

